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Issue: Madison-Kipp Corporation– Madison, Wisconsin

Message:

- EPA is assisting the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) in defining criteria that would trigger groundwater remediation for PCBs at the site.
- Should PCB groundwater remediation be needed, EPA and WDNR are proposing supplementation of the existing groundwater removal system.
- Both EPA and WDNR are proposing that ~~an assessment~~ implementation of an ultimate remedy for the PCB contamination at the site be deferred until either the use or ownership of the facility is altered.

Background/Status: At the request of the WDNR, LCD R5 was asked to provide technical support to address the PCB soil and groundwater contamination at the Madison-Kipp facility in Madison, Wisconsin. The majority of PCB work completed to date consists of removal of PCB contaminated soil surrounding the plant. The removal of the existing soil contamination beneath the plant floor would result in a stoppage of plant operations and possible closure. EPA and WDNR have been working with Madison –Kipp to address ground water monitoring to determine if PCBs continue to encroach on the water table. In an attempt to generate more-reproducible PCB groundwater data, R5 has suggested the use of passive groundwater sampling devices. In addition to this proposal, both the adequacy of the existing groundwater monitoring system and the specifics regarding the groundwater remedial trigger are under discussion. **EPA and WDNR are also working together to determine if Madison-Kipp has generated sufficient data on the tetrachloroethylen plume beneath the plant.**

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